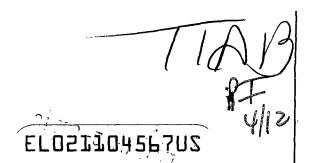


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This request for extension of time is not made for purposes of delay. Potential Opposer requires additional time to fully investigate and consider the published application.

Respectfully submitted,

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